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Box Patent Application Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Attorney's Docket No. <u>SONY-T0291</u> [S00P0291US00]

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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

SIR:

John Lyddan

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application entitled:

INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM, INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD AND APPARATUS, AND INFORMATION SERVING MEDIUM

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application and the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date <u>March 7, 2000</u>, in an envelope bearing "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" Mailing Label Number <u>EL387309224US</u> addressed to: Box Patent Application, Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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End	closed are:
1.	X Transmittal Form (two copies required)
2.	The papers required for filing date under CFR § 1.53(b): i. 35 Pages of specification (including claims and abstract); ii. 14 Sheets of drawings. formal x informal
3.	Declaration or oath a. <u>x</u> Unsigned
AC	COMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS
4.	An assignment of the invention to Sony Corporation is attached (including Form PTO-1595).
	i 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)
5.	x Power of Attorney (unsigned)
6.	An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed, including a PTO-1449 and copies of references.
7.	Preliminary Amendment.
8.	X Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503 should be specifically itemized)
9.	FOREIGN PRIORITY [x] Priority of application no. P11-065184 filed on March 11, 1999 in Japan is claimed under 35 USC 119.
	The certified copy of the priority application: _x is filed herewith; or _ has been filed in prior application no filed on _, or will be provided.

English Translation Document (if applicable)

10. FEE CALCULATION

a. __ Amendment changing number of claims or deleting multiple dependenci s is enclosed.

CLAIMS AS FILED

	Number Filed	Number Extra	mber Extra Rate					
Total Claims	11 - 20	* 0	x \$18.00	0				
Independent Claims	6 - 3	* 3	x \$78.00	234.00				
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1	1	C-mall	Entitu	Ctatus
1	1.	Small	Entity	Status

- a. __ A small entity statement is enclosed.
- A small entity statement was filed in the prior nonprovisional application and such status is still proper and desired.
- c. __ is no longer claimed.

12. Other Fees

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13. Payment of Fees

- x Check(s) in the amount of \$ 924.00 enclosed.
- Charge Account No. 12-1420 in the amount of \$__.
 - A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.
- 14. All correspondence regarding this application should be forwarded to the undersigned attorney:

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15. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees (or credit any overpayment) associated with this communication and which may be required under 37 CFR § 1.16 or § 1.17 to Account No. 12-1420. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

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